## MINUTES STAFFORD TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION REORGANIZATION/REGULAR MEETING JANUARY 09, 2023

Chairman calls the meeting to order:

Salute to the flag

Mr. Holland was sworn in during Green Team, Robert Kokai and Mr. Krupp were sworn in by Mayor Myhre.

<u>OPEN PUBLIC MEETING ACT:</u> This meeting complies with the open meeting act by publishing same in the appropriate newspapers and notification to the Township clerk. Notice has been posted in the front entrance of the Municipal Building:

Robert Kokai - Chairman	PRESENT
Robert Kirwan – Vice -Chairman	PRESENT
Glenn Perry -	PRESENT
Megan Brunatti -	ABSENT
Sharon McKenna -	ABSENT
Allen Krupp	PRESENT
Matthew Holland	ABSENT
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Vacant – Alt. I Vacant – Alt. II -

#### Also, Present:

Mayor Greg Myhre Administrator Matthew von der Hayden Member of Public Ben Wurst

# **2023 MEETING DATES FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION:**

Stafford Township Environmental Commission meeting dates will be as follows: January 9<sup>th</sup> Reorganization, February 6<sup>th</sup>, March 6<sup>th</sup>, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, May 1<sup>st</sup>, June 5<sup>th</sup>, July 3<sup>rd</sup>, August 7<sup>th</sup>, September 11<sup>th</sup>, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, November 6<sup>th</sup>, and December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

Motion: Kirwan

Second: Perry

AIF: aye

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### Appointments and Reappointments:

Linda Yockachonis, assigned as Secretary to the Environmental Commission, commencing January 9, 2023 and ending December 31, 2023

Robert Kokai has been re-appointed as a Regular member to the Environmental Commission said term expiring December 31, 2024.

Allen Krupp has been appointed as a Regular member to the Environmental Commission said term expiring 12/31/2023

Matthew Holland has been appointed as a Regular member to the Environmental Commission said term expiring 12/31/2023

A motion made by; Perry Second by: Kirwan to appoint Robert Kokai, Chairperson commencing on January 9, 2023 and ending on December 31, 2023.

A motion made by Kokai; second by Perry; to appoint <u>Robert Kirwan</u>, Vice – Chairperson commencing on January 9, 2023 and ending on December 31, 2023.

Aif: aye

# **Approval of Minutes:**

December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Regular Meeting

A motion by: Kirwan second: Perry to approve the minutes of the December 5, 2023 meeting.

Aif: aye

Memberships:

A motion: Kirwan ; seconded by Perry ; to renew the memberships to ANJEC, the National Arbor Day Foundation, and Groundwater Guardian.

Aif: aye

## **Applications:**

1. STAFFORD TOWNSHIP RESIDENTIAL URBAN RENEWAL, LLC Application # P22-11

Block 25/25.02 Lot 34.06/34.07/22.01

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Comments: The Commission has no comment

### 2. TFJ MANAHAKWIN, LLC

**Application #Z22-19**Block 147.107 Lot 56.07

Comments: will comment at next meeting after Engineer letter is received.

### Payment of Bills:

PRESS OF ATLANTIC CITY

PO# 22-05624

Publish Re-org meeting date 1/9/2023

\$ 28.00

Press of Atlantic City

NJ PRESS MEDIA SOLUTIONS

PO # 22-05667

Publish Re-org meeting date 1/9/2023

Asbury Park Press \$42.92

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A motion made by Kirwan ; seconded by Perry ; to approve the payment of the bills. Aif: aye

<u>Discussions:</u> Arbor Day – Matt von der Hayden will reach out to the Stafford Schools, (George Chidiak) about having a ceremony to plant a tree at each school.

A member from the Public, Ben Wurst was present and spoke of the Pinelands Nursery to buy trees from.

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Kirwan ; seconded by Perry ; to adjourn the meeting

At 8:00 P.M.

Aif: aye

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Yockachonis

Environmental Commission Secretary

The next Environmental Commission Meeting will be February 6, 2022